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MILITARY INTELLIGENCE SERVICE  
INTRA - OFFICE MEMORANDUM

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FILE NO. MID 062 P

SUBJECT Procurement of Photography

TO Chief, Military Branch

FROM Map & Photo BranchDATE 4 Dec 44  
NAME & TEL. Maj Edgar/4625

COMMENT NO. 1

1. Attached letter (Tab 1) covers a request of this office to obtain certain military photography which normally became available through the collection of captured enemy documents. This request was made after discussion with Lt. Colonel Gronich. Although the request was placed on 10 August 1944 none of the requested photographs have yet been received.

2. Information is requested as to when these will become available.



V. W. RODGERS  
Lt. Colonel, CE  
Chief, Map & Photo Branch

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10 August 1944

MEMORANDUM FOR THE CHIEF, MILITARY BRANCH, MILITARY INTELLIGENCE SERVICE:  
(Attention: Major Gronich)

Subject: Procurement of Photography.

1. In connection with your activities in the preparation of directives for field agencies, requiring the collection of captured documents useful to the Military Intelligence Service, it is requested that you include the needs of this Branch. Currently, the subjects of interest to this Branch are photography of:

- a. New Japanese weapons
- b. New Japanese fortifications
- c. New German weapons
- d. New Russian weapons
- e. Russian fortifications

It is understood that such materials are screened in the various theater headquarters and lower echelons so that valueless material is not forwarded to Washington.

2. It is believed that enemy files may contain such photography and that opportunities for its collection may occur upon the capitulation of various headquarters.

3. Photography of this type, when received in this Branch, is recorded, mounted on cards and distributed to the interested Branch of MIS. In most cases, this Branch is the Military Research Section, Military Branch. After use, the photography is filed in the Intelligence Library, Military Intelligence Service.

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